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On September 25, post delivered reftel diplomatic note and  
aide-memoire regarding U.S. candidacy for re-election to  
Category "A" of the International Maritime Organization (IMO)  
Council to the Turkmenistan Ministry of Foreign Affairs.  
Post will report any substantive response.  
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